

Table 3. Market Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Farms by value of sales:							
\$100,000 and over	43	46	43	46			
\$40,000 to \$99,999	45		45				
\$20,000 to \$39,999	26	32	26	32			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	37	34	37	34			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	22	44	22	44			
\$2,500 to \$4,999	23	26	23	25			
Under \$2,500 (see text)	60	60	4	6			
\$2,000 to \$2,499	6	7	(X)	(X)			
\$1,500 to \$1,999	14	4	(X)	(X)			
\$1,000 to \$1,499	16	9	(X)	(X)			
Under \$1,000 (see text)	24	40	(X)	(X)			
Market value of agricultural products sold							
\$1,000	45 988	24 632	45 923	24 576			
Average per farm dollars	179 640	101 786	229 613	131 422			
Crops, including hay							
farms	163	149	148	(NA)			
\$1,000	26 761	7 179	26 748	7 150			
Nursery and greenhouse products							
farms	3		2	2			
\$1,000	(D)		(D)	(D)			
Forest products							
farms	1	4	1	4			
\$1,000	(D)	3	(D)	3			
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms	194	192	150	157			
\$1,000	18 824	17 451	18 772	17 423			
Poultry and poultry products							
farms	12	(NA)	5	3			
\$1,000	27	(NA)	26	1			
Specified products sold:							
Crops							
farms							
\$1,000							
Grains							
farms							
\$1,000							
Tobacco							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cotton and cottonseed							
farms							
\$1,000							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage							
farms							
\$1,000							
Other field crops							
farms							
\$1,000							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons							
farms							
\$1,000							
Fruits, nuts, and berries							
farms							
\$1,000							
Livestock, poultry, and their products							
farms							
\$1,000							
Poultry and poultry products							
farms							
\$1,000							
Dairy products							
farms							
\$1,000							
Cattle and calves							
farms							
\$1,000							
Hogs and pigs							
farms							
\$1,000							
Sheep, lambs, and wool							
farms							
\$1,000							
Other livestock and livestock products							
farms							
\$1,000							

Table 4. Income From Sources Other Than Sale of Agricultural Products: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over, 1974	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969
Number of operators with total family income from off farm and other sources greater than total value of agricultural products sold ¹	87	(NA)	38	(NA)	Total family income from off-farm sources ²	farms	101
Income from farm-related sources before taxes and expenses ¹	79	(NA)	74	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	955
Customwork and other agricultural services	24	24	23	22	Nonfarm business, excluding farm related	farms	17
\$1,000	245	78	245	76	\$1,000	farms	198
Recreational services					Cash wages, salaries, commissions, and tips	farms	69
\$1,000					\$1,000	farms	537
Government farm programs	31	78	31	71	Interest, dividends, or royalties	farms	45
\$1,000	79	299	79	291	\$1,000	farms	74
Rent of farmland or from lease or sale of allotments	37	(NA)	33	(NA)	Federal Social Security, pensions, retirement pay, etc.	farms	26
\$1,000	1 124	(NA)	1 115	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	117
Other farm-related sources	11	(NA)	10	(NA)	Rent income of nonfarm property	farms	9
\$1,000	10	(NA)	8	(NA)	\$1,000	farms	28
Expenses for farm-related income sources ¹	33	(NA)	31	(NA)			
\$1,000	268	(NA)	262	(NA)			

¹See text. ²1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 5. Farm Production Expenses: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969	
Total farm production expenses	254	242	200	187	Seeds, bulbs, plants, and trees purchased	farms	128	118	114	105
\$1,000	37 920	23 096	37 788	23 005	\$1,000	farms	1 828	563	1 827	562
Farms with -					Commercial fertilizer purchased	farms	148	134	134	119
\$1 to \$999	18	28	4	9	\$1,000	farms	2 271	1 005	2 267	1 002
\$1,000 to \$1,999	17	23	5	7	Other agricultural chemicals purchased	farms	93	(NA)	88	(NA)
\$2,000 to \$2,999	11	13	6	7	\$1,000	farms	821	280	821	280
\$3,000 to \$4,999	32	20	15	17	Lime	farms	(NA)			
\$5,000 to \$9,999	32	44	26	40	\$1,000	farms	(NA)			
\$10,000 to \$19,999	32		32	51	Gasoline and other petroleum fuel and oil for farm business	farms	248	233	196	185
\$20,000 to \$39,999	42		42	20	\$1,000	farms	1 179	446	1 167	437
\$40,000 to \$59,999	15		15		(NA)	farms	(NA)	(NA)	192	184
\$60,000 and over	55	114	55	43	(NA)	farms	(NA)	(NA)	632	272
Livestock and poultry purchased					(NA)	farms	(NA)	(NA)	143	108
farms	105	117	68	96	Diesel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	404	118
\$1,000	7 384	9 163	7 354	9 152	\$1,000	farms	(NA)	(NA)	43	42
Feed for livestock and poultry purchased					\$1,000	farms	(NA)	(NA)	30	11
farms	148	167	109	130	Motor oil, grease, piped gas, kerosene, and fuel oil	farms	(NA)	(NA)	196	185
\$1,000	4 933	4 169	4 907	4 154	\$1,000	farms	(NA)	(NA)	102	36
Commercially mixed formula feeds					Hired farm labor	farms	121	144	108	125
farms	103	110	80	92	\$1,000	farms	5 059	1 872	5 052	1 868
\$1,000	547	214	532	208	farms	farms	33	171	31	29
Feed ingredients	(NA)	(NA)	16	26	\$1,000	farms	402	929	401	372
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	56	1 507	\$1,000	farms	153		124	134
Whole grains	(NA)	(NA)	55	41	Machine hire and customwork	farms	1 314		1 306	547
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	2 828	1 687	\$1,000	farms	247	223	200	187
Hay, green chop, and silage	(NA)	(NA)	35	41	\$1,000	farms	12 728	4 668	12 522	4 631
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	1 491	752	All other production expenses	farms				
Animal health costs for livestock and poultry	(NA)	(NA)	107	(NA)	\$1,000	farms				
\$1,000	(NA)	(NA)	165	(NA)						

Table 6. Machinery and Equipment on Place: 1974 and 1969

	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over	
	1974	1969	1974	1969		1974	1969	1974	1969
All Machinery and Equipment									
Estimated market value of all machinery and equipment..... farms.....	249	231	196	185					
..... \$1,000.....	12 174	4 759	11 700	4 594					
Average per farm..... dollars.....	48 891	20 600	59 692	24 830					
Farms by value group:									
\$1 to \$999.....	6	6	1	39					
\$1,000 to \$4,999.....	33	68	15	36					
\$5,000 to \$9,999.....	29	46	13	48					
\$10,000 to \$19,999.....	48	49	30	29					
\$20,000 to \$29,999.....	35	35	35	29					
\$30,000 to \$49,999.....	49	62	48	9					
\$50,000 to \$69,999.....	16	16	16	24					
\$70,000 and over.....	39	39	39						
Selected Machinery and Equipment									
Automobiles..... farms.....	206	182	167	149					
..... number.....	277	230	231	194					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	172	140	145	119					
Motor trucks, including pickups..... farms.....	235	217	189	175					
..... number.....	796	546	736	500					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	399	233	377	210					
Wheel tractors..... farms.....	231	211	189	177					
..... number.....	730	649	675	543					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	184	176	171	162					
Crawler tractors..... farms.....	43	41	41	47					
..... number.....	57	55	55	67					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	3	3	8					
Selected Machinery & Equip. -- Con.									
Grain and bean combines, self-propelled..... farms.....	67	38	67	38					
..... number.....	88	54	88	54					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	14	15	14	15					
Corn heads for combines..... farms.....	18	17	18	11					
..... number.....	19	20	19	13					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	-	5	-	4					
Other cornpickers and picker-shellers..... farms.....	5	5	5	7					
..... number.....	5	5	5	7					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	4	4	4	1					
Mower conditioners..... farms.....	32	(NA)	29	(NA)					
..... number.....	32	(NA)	29	(NA)					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	21	(NA)	19	(NA)					
Pickup balers..... farms.....	119	100	112	94					
..... number.....	134	110	127	103					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	47	49	45	48					
Windrowers, pull and self-propelled..... farms.....	94	(NA)	90	68					
..... number.....	102	(NA)	98	73					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	55	(NA)	52	40					
Field forage harvesters, shear bar or flywheel type..... farms.....	29	(NA)	28	21					
..... number.....	31	(NA)	30	23					
mfd in last 5 years, number.....	8	(NA)	7	9					

Table 7. Cattle and Calves -- Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969

	Inventory				Sales					
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over			
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number Dollars (1,000)		
Any livestock or poultry..... 1974.....	191	(X)	146	(X)	194	(X)	150	(X) 18 772		
Any cattle, hogs, or sheep..... 1974.....	183	(X)	139	(X)	189	(X)	146	(X) 18 401		
..... 1969.....	182	(X)	151	(X)	185	(X)	154	(X) 17 576		
Cattle and calves..... 1974.....	181	52 464	138	51 750	186	51 155	143	50 937 17 576		
..... 1969.....	174	62 933	148	62 492	175	56 488	150	56 385 16 321		
Farms with --										
1 to 4..... 1974.....	8	21	4	11	32	83	8	19 4		
5 to 9..... 1974.....	7	44	1	7	20	137	8	59 16		
10 to 19..... 1974.....	24	317	7	88	18	228	11	152 42		
20 to 49..... 1974.....	34	1 046	18	608	42	1 386	42	1 386 253		
50 to 99..... 1974.....	21	1 453	21	1 453	30	2 076	30	2 076 454		
100 to 199..... 1974.....	25	3 464	25	3 464	25	3 580	25	3 580 724		
200 to 499..... 1974.....	42	12 549	42	12 549	11	4 080	11	4 080 761		
500 and over..... 1974.....	20	33 570	20	33 570	8	39 585	8	39 585 15 323		
Cows and heifers that had calved..... 1974.....	157	23 215	118	22 820	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
..... 1969.....	158	16 041	135	15 859	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
Beef cows..... 1974.....	143	22 715	112	22 353	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
..... 1969.....	(NA)	15 132	114	14 961	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
Milk cows..... 1974.....	57	500	41	467	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
..... 1969.....	65	909	59	898	(NA)	(NA)	(NA)	(NA) (NA)		
Dairy products sold..... 1974.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	11	(X) 302		
..... 1969.....	(X)	(X)	(X)	(X)	(NA)	(X)	35	(X) 300		
Inventory, 1974										
	All farms		Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over		Sales, 1974 -- Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					
	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Dollars (1,000)			
Beef cows.....	143	22 715	112	22 353	Cattle sold.....			126	42 749	16 461
Farms with --					Farms with --					
1 to 4.....	8	24	4	8	1 to 4.....			10	26	6
5 to 9.....	10	67	2	12	5 to 9.....			10	69	17
10 to 19.....	20	245	6	73	10 to 19.....			13	179	43
20 to 49.....	24	773	19	654	20 to 49.....			41	1 231	244
50 to 99.....	27	2 156	27	2 156	50 to 99.....			22	1 490	375
100 to 199.....	22	2 934	22	2 934	100 to 199.....			16	2 212	467
200 to 499.....	20	5 925	20	5 925	200 to 499.....			11	4 133	888
500 and over.....	12	10 591	12	10 591	500 and over.....			3	33 409	14 422
Milk cows.....	57	500	41	467	Calves sold.....			68	8 188	1 115
Farms with --					Farms with --					
1 or 2.....	40	56	27	39	1 or 2.....			1	1	(Z)
3 or 4.....	6	20	4	14	3 or 4.....			-	-	-
5 to 9.....	2	12	2	12	5 to 9.....			11	58	8
10 to 19.....	2	26	1	16	10 to 19.....			13	196	37
20 to 49.....	3	117	3	117	20 to 49.....			14	447	77
50 to 99.....	4	269	4	269	50 to 99.....			14	1 031	168
100 to 199.....	-	-	-	-	100 to 199.....			6	755	117
200 to 499.....	-	-	-	-	200 to 499.....			5	1 616	209
500 and over.....	-	-	-	-	500 and over.....			4	4 084	500

Table 9. Poultry—Inventory and Sales: 1974 and 1969—Continued

Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over					Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over						
		Inventory		Sales				Inventory		Sales	
		Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number	Farms	Number
Hens and pullets of laying age	1974	19	2 522	3	1 074	Turkeys	1974	1	1	-	-
	1969	25	738	-	-		1969	-	-	-	-
Hens for table or market egg production	1974	19	2 510	3	1 074	Turkeys for slaughter	1974	1	1	-	-
Hens for hatching egg production	1974	1	12	-	-	Heavy breed	1974	1	1	-	-
						Light breed	1974	-	-	-	-
Pullets 3 months old or older	1974	2	61	-	-	Turkey hens for breeding	1974	-	-	-	-
	1969	1	12	-	-		1969	-	-	-	-
Roosters and male chickens for breeding	1974	11	110	-	-	Other poultry	1974	-	(X)	-	(X)
Pullet chicks and pullets under 3 months old	1974	-	-	-	-		1969	2	(X)	-	(X)

Table 10. Crops: 1974 and 1969

All farms											
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested				Quantity harvested	
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for all purposes		45	54	2 320	2 442	(X)	(X)				
Sorghums for all purposes		-	4	-	114	(X)	(X)				
Soybeans for beans (bushels)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Wheat (bushels)		51	53	13 202	2 865	776 181	89 418				
Other small grains for grain		106	93	10 388	14 413	(X)	(X)				
Cotton (bales)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Tobacco (pounds)		-	-	-	-	-	-				
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)		25	(NA)	14 066	(NA)	4 327 451	(NA)				
Sweetpotatoes (bushels)		-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-	(NA)				
Hay crops (tons, dry)		186	172	37 712	19 273	99 880	49 512				
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale		14	6	678	201	(X)	(X)				
Land in orchards		1	4	14	186	(X)	(X)				
Berries for sale		1	-	-	-	(X)	(X)				
Other crops		58	(NA)	9 671	13 218	(X)	(X)				

Farms with sales of \$2,500 and over											
		Farms		Acres		Quantity harvested		Irrigated land			
		1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969
Corn for grain or seed (bushels)		13	29	1 047	1 469	53 553	138 287	13	29	1 047	1 469
Corn for silage or green chop (tons, green)		38	27	1 273	878	24 428	14 758	38	27	1 273	878
Corn for dry fodder, hogged or grazed		-	3	-	77	(X)	(X)	-	3	-	77
Sorghums for grain (bushels)		-	1	-	58	-	3 339	-	-	-	-
Sorghums for silage, fodder, hay, etc.		-	(NA)	-	44	(X)	(X)	-	(NA)	-	4
Alfalfa hay (tons, dry)		147	139	23 227	15 816	78 379	43 387	117	121	12 754	9 443

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

				Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used						
		Farms	Acres	Quantity	Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
							Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Cropland used only for pasture	1974	105	14 675	(X)	50	2 670	13	658	10	50	3	26
	1969	109	13 599	(X)	75	3 480	25	3 887	25	189	-	-
Improved pasture	1974	29	10 888	(X)	10	2 060	5	1 668	4	11	1	145
	1969	36	8 913	(X)	11	763	4	588	4	23	-	-
Corn for all purposes	1974	45	2 320	(X)	45	2 320	38	1 965	34	293	9	41
	1969	53	2 424	(X)	53	2 424	53	2 406	49	488	9	24
Sorghums for all purposes	1974	-	-	(X)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	3	102	(X)	1	4	2	98	2	23	-	-
Wheat (bushels)	1974	50	13 192	775 931	39	11 770	37	11 908	34	1 550	7	167
	1969	49	2 838	87 707	36	978	17	483	(NA)	127	(NA)	3
Oats (bushels)	1974	15	591	22 761	9	275	6	206	4	15	2	6
	1969	14	314	14 980	12	279	5	131	(NA)	22	(NA)	-
Barley (bushels)	1974	85	9 546	559 938	70	7 703	58	6 329	52	718	8	123
	1969	54	11 247	688 254	49	10 441	26	6 696	(NA)	747	(NA)	16
Rye (bushels)	1974	1	30	1 400	1	30	1	30	1	4	-	-
	1969	3	1 223	24 920	2	23	2	1 219	(NA)	121	(NA)	-
Other small grains for grain	1974	6	96	(X)	6	96	3	64	3	7	-	-
Soybeans for beans (bushels)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peanuts for nuts (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Hay crops (tons, dry)	1974	156	37 382	98 937	125	25 225	51	5 420	49	567	2	3
	1969	142	18 140	47 796	124	11 381	27	2 776	27	289	-	-
Field seed crops	1974	25	1 613	(X)	13	629	6	319	6	32	-	-
	1969	21	2 079	(X)	12	1 414	2	144	2	14	-	-
Cotton (bales)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Tobacco (pounds)	1974	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(NA)	-	(NA)	-
Irish potatoes (hundredweight)	1974	25	14 066	4 327 451	25	14 066	24	14 065	24	5 389	10	1 494
	1969	15	7 841	2 250 790	15	7 841	14	7 841	(NA)	3 184	(NA)	548
Vegetables, sweet corn, or melons for sale	1974	14	678	(X)	14	648	14	648	14	207	1	73
	1969	6	201	(X)	6	201	6	201	5	45	1	5
Land in orchards	1974	1	14	(X)	1	13	-	-	-	-	-	-
	1969	4	186	(X)	3	186	2	22	2	2	-	-

Table 11. Irrigation and Commercial Fertilizer on Pastureland and Harvested Crops for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969—Continued

	Farms	Acres	Quantity	Irrigated land		Commercial fertilizer used					
				Farms	Acres	Total		Dry		Liquid	
						Farms	Acres	Farms	Tons	Farms	Tons
Berries for sale	1974... 1	1	(X)	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1969... —	—	(X)	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursery and greenhouse products	1974... 2	(D)	(X)	2	(D)	2	(D)	2	65	2	97
	1969... 2	40	(X)	2	40	1	10	—	—	1	4
Other crops	1974... 36	7 406	(X)	36	7 379	31	6 416	28	1 161	10	343

Table 12. Agricultural Chemicals Used and Cost of Materials for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Total chemical costs, including fertilizer and lime	—	—	—	—	Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—
farms	146	129	—	—	Diseases in crops and orchards	4	3	—	—
\$1,000	3 087	1 282	—	—	acres on which used	3 700	3 275	—	—
Commercial fertilizer	—	—	—	—	Weeds or grass in crops	88	21	—	—
farms	134	113	—	—	acres on which used	33 475	15 017	—	—
acres on which used	50 358	38 277	—	—	Weeds or brush in pasture	249	98	—	—
\$1,000	2 267	1 002	—	—	acres on which used	867	3 320	—	—
Lime	—	—	—	—	Weeds on all other land	10	13	—	—
farms	—	—	—	—	acres on which used	13	(NA)	—	—
acres on which used	—	—	—	—	Chemicals for defoliation or for growth control	303	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000	—	—	—	—	of crops or thinning of fruit	2	(NA)	—	—
Sprays, dusts, granules, fumigants, etc. to control—	—	—	—	—	farms	9	7	—	—
Insects on hay crops	17	8	—	—	acres on which used	3 632	2 129	—	—
acres on which used	1 351	803	—	—	Insect control on livestock and poultry	34	10	—	—
\$1,000	8	7	—	—	farms	24	30	—	—
Insects on other crops	31	27	—	—	\$1,000	5	8	—	—
acres on which used	21 763	16 561	—	—	Other chemicals (see text)	10	(NA)	—	—
\$1,000	409	123	—	—	farms	7	(NA)	—	—
Nematodes in crops	1	—	—	—	\$1,000	—	—	—	—
acres on which used	240	—	—	—					
\$1,000	10	—	—	—					

Table 13. Irrigation, Artificial Drainage, and Artificial Ponds for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	1974		1969			1974		1969	
	Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres		Farms	Acres	Farms	Acres
Farms irrigated in census year	166	—	159	—	Land irrigated by—Continued	—	—	—	—
Proportion of farms	83.0	—	85.0	—	Self-propelled sprinkler systems	9	(NA)	—	—
Total land irrigated	68 546	51 127	—	—	Other sprinkler systems	3 856	(NA)	—	—
Average per farm	412.9	321.5	—	—	Land in irrigated farms	74	(NA)	—	—
Cropland irrigated	164	156	—	—	Cropland	36 889	316 165	—	—
Harvested cropland irrigated	66 486	50 364	—	—	Harvested cropland	266 519	67 780	—	—
farms	159	151	—	—	acres	82 187	67 780	—	—
acres	63 646	46 336	—	—	Farms not irrigated in 1974 but irrigated	67 371	53 859	—	—
Cropland pasture irrigated	50	75	—	—	between 1970 and 1973	—	—	—	—
acres	2 670	3 480	—	—	acres irrigated in most recent year	1	(X)	—	—
Other cropland irrigated	8	(NA)	—	—	farms	40	(X)	—	—
acres	170	548	—	—	Proportion of farms	15	19	—	—
Pasture irrigated, other than cropland pasture	10	11	—	—	acres	7.5	10.1	—	—
acres	2 060	763	—	—	Land in farms with drainage	60 495	88 087	—	—
Estimated quantity of irrigation water applied	215 805	182 168	—	—	Land drained	1 461	1 830	—	—
Average per acre irrigated	3.1	3.6	—	—	Average per farm	97.4	96.3	—	—
Land irrigated by—	—	—	—	—	Artificial ponds, pits, reservoirs, and earthen tanks	—	—	—	—
Furrows or ditches	112	(NA)	—	—	farms	42	(NA)	—	—
acres	25 415	(NA)	—	—	number	170	(NA)	—	—
	—	—	—	—	acres	358	(NA)	—	—

Table 14. Farm Credit for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974

	Farms	Total operator debt		Secured by real estate		Not secured by real estate	
		\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms	\$1,000	Farms
Farms with debt owed by farm operator (see text)	—	112	93	73	—	—	—
	—	25 773	17 218	8 555	—	—	—
Farms by size of debt owed:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Under \$5,000	—	4	2	8	—	—	—
\$5,000 to \$9,999	—	8	9	8	—	—	—
\$10,000 to \$29,999	—	25	18	26	—	—	—
\$30,000 to \$49,999	—	10	10	8	—	—	—
\$50,000 and over	—	65	54	23	—	—	—

Table 15. Payroll and Employment for Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over: 1974 and 1969

	Farms		Workers		Dollars (1,000)			1974 hired farm workers working—			
	1974	1969	1974	1969	1974	1969		Total	150 days or more	25 to 149 days	Less than 25 days
Hired farm workers working—	60	56	710	421	4 008	1 868	108	60	66	55	
150 days or more	66	102	741	2 004	910	—	5 052	4 008	910	133	
25 to 149 days	55	—	565	—	133	—	2 016	710	741	565	
Less than 25 days	—	—	(NA)	(NA)	401	—	—	—	—	—	
Total contract labor	31	29	(NA)	(NA)	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Farms reporting number of contract workers furnished by contractor	19	(NA)	376	(NA)	255	(NA)	—	—	—	—	
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Farms with—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1 worker	—	—	23	—	22	—	23	22	27	11	
2 workers	—	—	19	—	11	—	19	11	8	18	
3 or 4 workers	—	—	25	—	11	—	25	11	11	7	
5 to 9 workers	—	—	17	—	3	—	17	3	8	6	
10 workers and over	—	—	24	—	13	—	24	13	12	13	